

The funding process and what young folks need to know about the NSF

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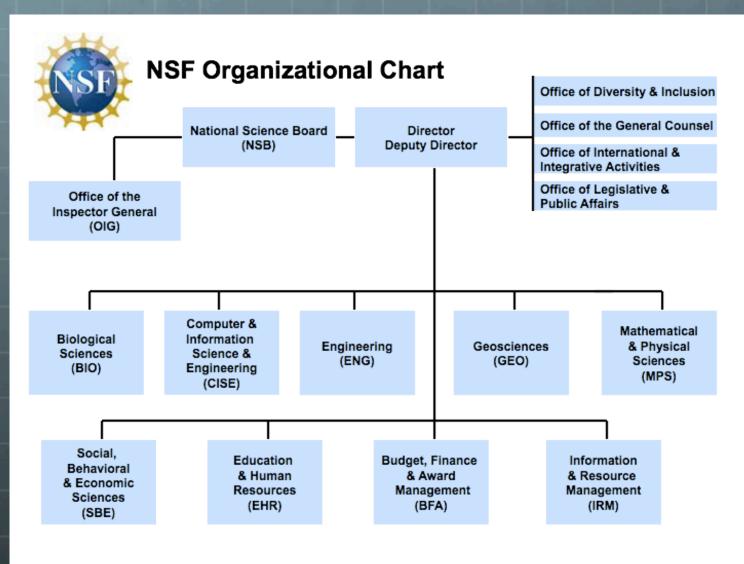


NSF Perspective

- NSF Mission: "to promote the progress of science; to advance the national health, prosperity, and welfare; to secure the national defense; and for other purposes"
 - Empowering university-based investigators
 - **Educate and train an exceptional and diverse scientific workforce**
 - **Adding value through partnerships and broadening participation**
- Program Coordination and Execution
 - Programs are coordinated with other U.S. and non-U.S. agencies and organizations
 - Solicit advice and strategic direction from advisory committees such as HEPAP, P5, AAAC, NSAC and from the National Academy of Sciences
- Guiding Principles NSB review criteria
 - What is the Intellectual Merit?
 - What are the Broader Impacts?

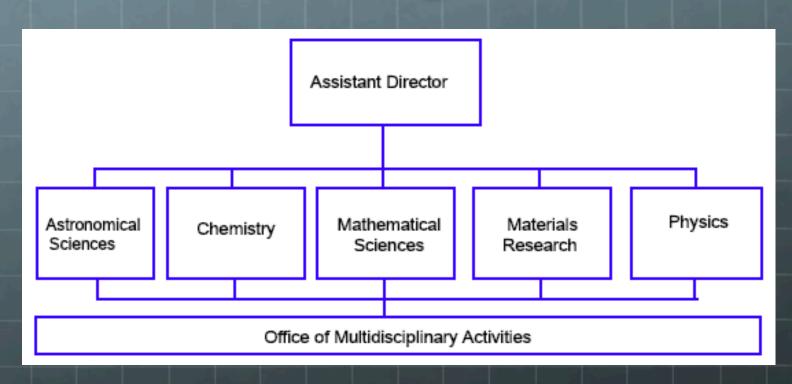


FY2013 Current Structure

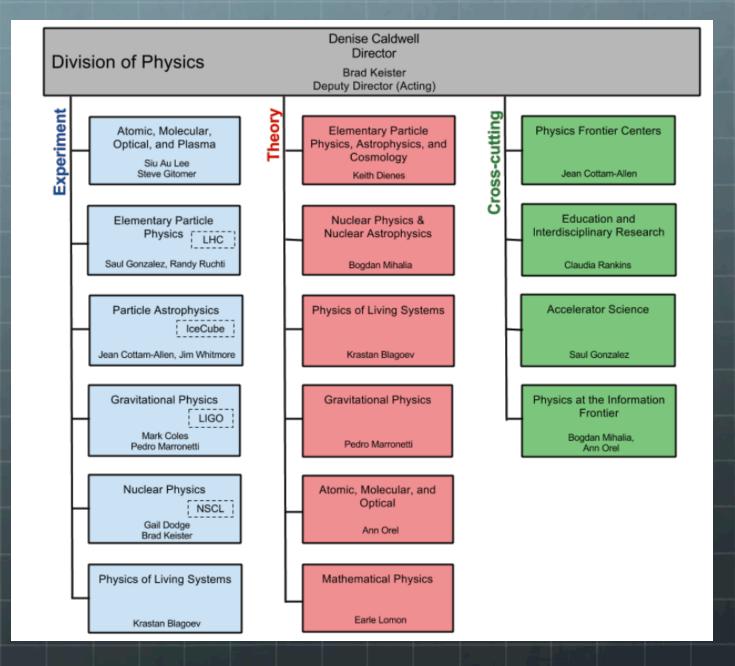




MPS Organization



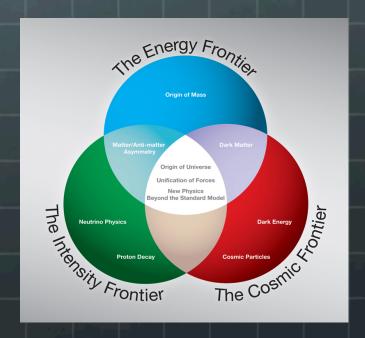






Particle Physics at the NSF

- Scientific Frontiers:
 - Energy Frontier Elementary Particle Physics (EPP, THY)
 - Intensity Frontier Elementary Particle Physics, Particle Astrophysics (EPP, PA, THY)
 - Cosmic Frontier Particle Astrophysics (PA, THY)
- Applications and Broader Impacts:
 - Accelerator Science, R&D
 - Detector R&D
 - Computing / Data
 - Education and Outreach





EPP Program Elements

- **Energy Frontier**
 - **Hadrons**
 - & LHC
 - ATLAS, CMS
 - Tevatron
 - CDF, DØ
 - **◎** e+e
 - <a>ILC

- Intensity Frontier
 - **Neutrinos**
 - MINERVA
 - Minos/NOvA
 - MiniBooNE/MicroBooNE
 - Hadrons
 - LHCb
 - **⊚** e+e-
 - BES-III
 - Belle-II
 - BaBar
 - CLEO-c



Program Elements

Detector R&D

- LHC Upgrades
- Diamond Detectors
- (a) ILC
- **LAr TPC (LBNE)**
- Large Optical Array

Computing

- OSG
- Tier 2, Tier 3, UltraLight
- Anydata, Anytime, Anywhere
- DASPOS
- ISGTW

Accelerator Science and R&D

- CESR TA
- **6** ILC
- Muon Colliders (MuCOOL, MICE)
- Plasma Acceleration
- Project X (SRF, CESR TA)
- SRF



PHY Division PA Program

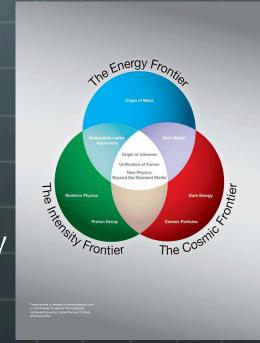
PHY funds projects in both the Cosmic Frontier and the Intensity Frontier fields

Cosmic Frontier:

Dark Matter, Dark Energy, Cosmology, High Energy Particles (CR, γ -rays, ν)

Intensity Frontier:

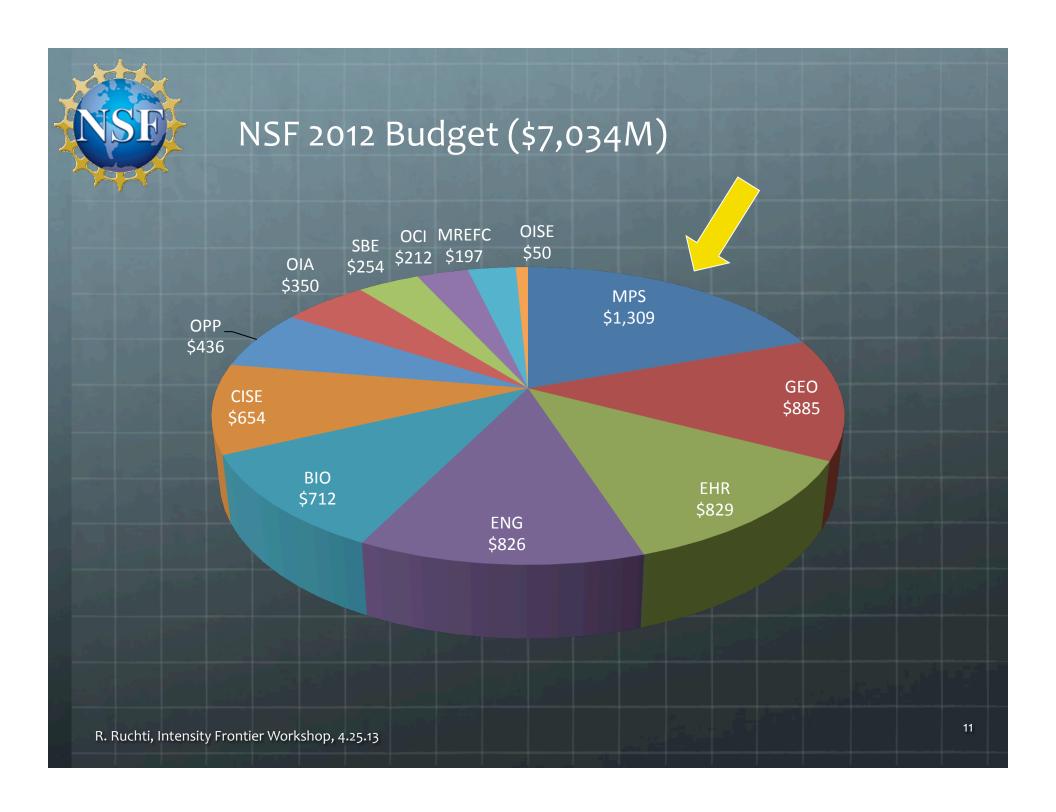
Neutrino mass, Neutrino-less Double Beta Decay non-accelerator (and solar) neutrinos

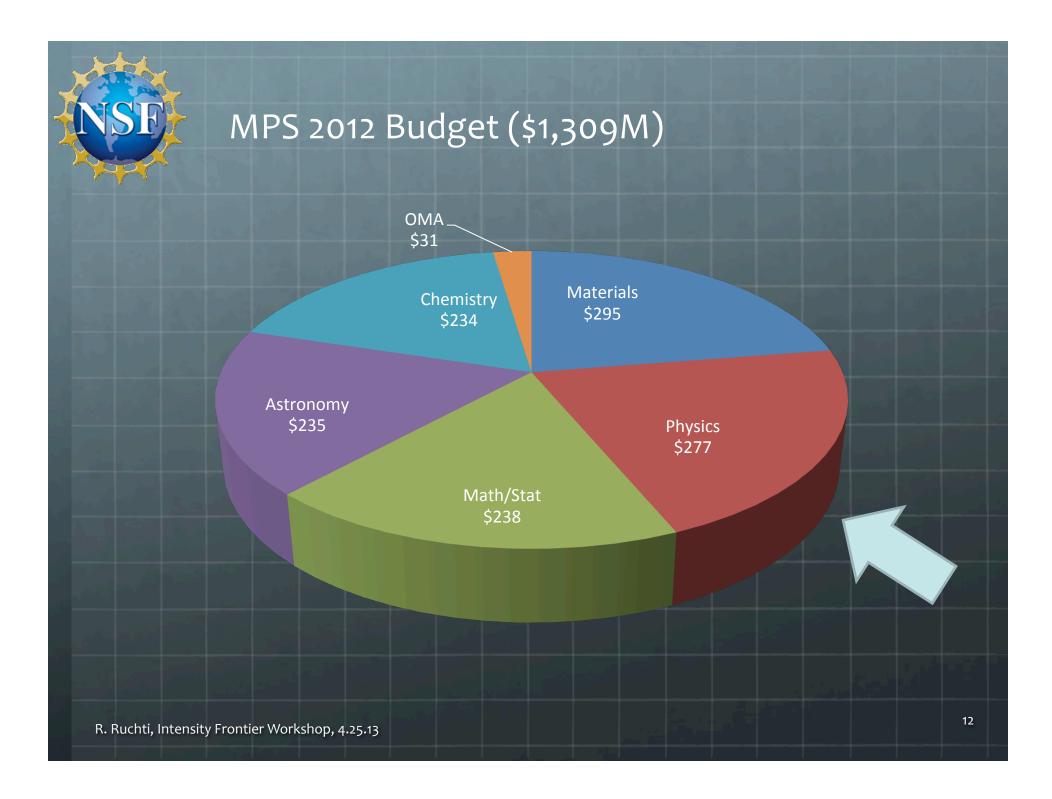




Theory Program in Particle Physics Particle Astrophysics and Cosmology

- The NSF Theory Program funds theoretical research in all of the research areas across the three frontiers:
 - From string Theory and Grand Unification to neutrinos and proton decay to cosmic rays and dark matter/dark energy.
 - The program is completely cross-cutting.







Impact of Adding Value EPP/PA/THY Program Funding FY 12

6	<u></u>	EPP Base Program	\$24.7M
6	<u>)</u>	LHC Research Program	\$18M
6	<u>)</u>	PA Base Program	\$11.47M
•	3	Underground Science	\$17.29M
4	3	IceCube Ops	\$3.45M
•	<u>)</u>	THY Base Program	\$13.59M
•	<u> </u>	Physics Frontier Centers	\$6.04M
		Subtotal	\$94 . 54M
4	<u></u>	Allied Funding - Added Value (EPP, PA and THY)	\$30.3M
•	3	EPP/PA/THY Total	\$124.84M

R. Ruchti, Intensity Frontier Workshop, 4.25.13



Partnering/Adding Value

- From discussion at Snowmass 2013/CPM2012...
 - The General Public
 - Policy Makers and Opinion Leaders
 - The Science Community
 - Teachers 5-16
 - Students 5-16

- At the agencies...
 - Physics
 - BP Broadening Participation
 - EIR Education and Interdisciplinary Research
 - PIF Physics at the Information Frontier
 - OMA Multidisciplinary Activities
 - OCI Cyberinfrastructure
 - OISE International
 - EHR Education and Human Resources
 - With other agencies



Engagement: Some Examples Adding Value – Programs/Projects

- **6** Interdisciplinary Research and Education
 - QuarkNet
 - CHEPREO
 - Planetarium Show
 - Feature-length Video Program
 - REU programs
- Cyber Infrastructure
 - Open Science Grid
 - DASPOS
 - ISGTW

- Multidisciplinary Activity Broadening Participation
 - AGEP Graduate Supplements
- International
 - Partnerships in International Science and Engineering
 - Particle Physics School
 - Grid School
 - Accelerator School
- Partnering with other Agencies
 - **ODE**



NSF Calendar – Items/Dates of Interest

- July 24, 2013 CAREER Proposal Deadline (MPS) for FY14
- July 29 Aug 7, 2013 Snowmass on the Mississippi
- October 30, 2013 FY14 Target Date EPP and PA Proposals
- November 13, 2013 Application Deadline for NSF Graduate Fellowship Program
- November 29, 2013 FY14 Target Date Accelerator Research Proposals
- **December 5, 2013** FY14 Target Date EPP/PA/Cosmology Theory Proposals
- January 23, 2014 MRI Proposal Deadline
 - Note that universities will have their pre-selection much earlier



Summary

- Cautionary note...
 - We are in for some challenging funding years
- Nevertheless...
 - It is an extraordinarily exciting time for Particle Physics.
 - You have enthusiastic support from those of us at NSF!